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Fair tonight and tomorrow; not much change in temperature; heavy frost tonight; moderate west winds.
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STOCKS HELD ON MARGIN

Judge Thornton Holds That Jos. E. Willard is Owner at His Risk and Profit.

Setting a precedent in the matter of requiring a State tax on stocks held on margin, an order has been entered in the Circuit Court of Fairfax county, under which Colonel Joseph E. Willard, ambassador from the United States to Spain, will pay into the State treasury taxes on such property with a face valuation of nearly $500,000. The order was agreed upon at a meeting in Washington between Christopher B. Garnett, counsel and executive assistant to the State Tax Board, and attorneys for Colonel Willard and J. B. T. Thornton, of the Fairfax Circuit Court.

Whether Colonel Willard will appeal from the decision of the Circuit Court is not yet known. His attorneys are waiting for his decision in the matter before taking any definite steps. So far as the lower court is concerned, however, the case is concluded. Besides the tax on stock, the order entered requires Colonel Willard to pay omitted taxes, assessed for the years from 1903 to 1915, inclusive, on money on deposit and on income. The whole amounts to $3,512.77.

In addition to the taxes ordered to be paid on his own account, Colonel Willard has voluntarily returned for taxation property belonging to Mrs. Kermit Roosevelt and Miss Mary E. Willard, upon which he has been taxed amounting to $2,444,70, making the total amount paid, or to be paid, to the State $5 957.47. In addition to these amounts, taxes have been paid or ordered to be paid to the county of Fairfax and the town of Fairfax, which will amount to considerable more than amounts paid to the State.

In discussing the case, Mr. Garnett said that he thought it was due to Colonel Willard and his attorneys, Thomas R. Keith and E. R. F. Wells and his personal representative, Thomas B. Love, to say that by Colonel Willard's instructions, counsel for the State was afforded every opportunity to get at the amounts subject to taxation. Colonel Willard's books were put at his disposal, and a thorough examination was made by W. Frank Smythe, State Accountant; Mr. Love and those in his office aiding in every way to procure a correct amount for assessment. Mr. Garnett spoke in the highest terms of the treatment received by him from Colonel Willard's counsel and representative.

ALEXANDRIA SOLDIER BOYS.

Members of Light Infantry Not Likely to Eat Christmas Dinner at Home.

Relatives and friends of the Alexandria Light Infantry have recently been indulging in the hope that "the boys" would be ordered home before the first snow begins to fly. According to the latest information from the border, however, such hopes are doomed to disappointment, as Uncle Sam is by no means disposed to relieve them of the duties they are now performing so satisfactorily.

Colonel William J. Perry, commander of the First Virginia Infantry, in Brownsville, Tex., and Major A. Sidney Buford, jr., of the Virginia National Guard, judge-advocate of one of the divisions on the border, in letters received in Richmond, yesterday by Adjutant-General Sale, stated that the opinion prevailing among soldiers was that the Virginia organizations would not be ordered home for a considerable time yet. The officers gave no authoritative ground for their statements, but reported the sentiment of the men in their camps.

Notice

The undersigned having qualified in the Circuit court for the city of Alexandria as executor and executrix of the late Elizabeth J. Ticer, give notice to all persons indebted to the estate to come forward and settle the same. All persons having claims against the estate are requested to present them for payment.

Clarence H. Ticer, Executor.
257-10t. Elsie R. Ticer, Executrix.

HIGH MASONIC DEGREE

Conferred on Class of Ten—Banquet Attended by Prominent Men of the Fraternity.

The thirty-second degree was conferred upon a class of ten candidates last evening, by Randolph Chapter, of Rose Croix, No. 3, Scottish Rite Masons. Many prominent members of the fraternity were in attendance from Washington, Baltimore and Savannah, Ga. The work was put on in full form and was most impressive.

The officiating officers were: Fred M. Bock, of Albert Pike Consistory, No. 1, of the District of Columbia, Venerable Master; Frank W. Latham Prior; Arthur A. Paul, Preceptor; C. H. Burns, of Chesapeake Consistory, No. 1, Maryland, Prelate; Percy E. Clift, Marshal of Caravan; A. M. Sherwood, Marshall of Guards.

Camp guards were as follows: H. Noel Garner, captain; Albert J. Jones, Vance H. Peele, N. S. Greenaway, Samuel McL. Estes, Boyd J. Richards, W. S. Connelly, W. G. Leadbeater, J. W. Bales, J. William May, Leopold Ruben, C. C. Batcheller, S. W. Pitts, C. B. Swan, W. L. Allen, William Jorg and D. G. Grillbortzer. Prof H. G. Harryman was organist, and Bedford K. Smith, electrician

Following the conferring of the degree the brethren and their guests sat down to a most enjoyable banquet which was served by Martha Washington Chapter of the Order of the Eastern Star in the Young Peoples Building on Washington street. Covers were laid for 150 and the menu included all the good things of the season to which ample justice was done by all. The tables had been especially decorated by the ladies in honor of the assembled guests and presented a scene which reflected great credit upon their good taste and artistic ability.

William S. Connelly presided as toastmaster. James E. Alexander, past wise master, invoked the blessing, and Mr. Charles H. Callahan gave the address of welcome. W. J. Waller and Kenneth W. Ogden favored the company with two excellent solos.

Among those who responded to toasts were: Grand Lodge of Virginia, H. K. Field; Class orator, George Browning of Orange, Va.; Scottish Masonry, Rev. J. J. Lanier of Fredericksburg; Brotherhood of Man, Mr. C. H. Burns of Baltimore. The benediction was pronounced by the Rev. Edgar Carpenter.

The occasion was one of the most enjoyable held by Alexandria's Masonic fraternity in a long time.

CHOKED GIRL TO DEATH

Man With Wife and Four Children Confesses Crime.

Wilkesbarre, Pa., Nov. 3. — "I choked Miss Ida Brown to death," confessed Thomas Williams Wednesday night. Miss Brown was the 18 year old girl of Sabastopol whose body was found in Carpenter's Creek by fishermen on the night of October 18. Williams is 45 years old. He has a wife and four children. There were no witnesses to the crime.

Discovery of the fact that Williams had taken a mink's head from Miss Brown's furs and given it to a Miss Lula Konosky led to his being suspected.

"I met her alone, near the creek," he said. "'I didn't mean to hurt her, but she fought me. She started to scream. I put my hand over her mouth. She bit it, and then I choked her. Then all of a sudden she was lying on the ground, in front of me, still. I didn't know whether she was dead or not. She was so still, though, she must have been.

"So I took her and dumped her into the creek. She didn't float. After I saw her sink I went back into the woods and hid. I guess I must have been there a couple of hours."

FOR SALE—Two coal stoves and one cash register, at 1301 King street. 258-3t.

It will Pay Advertisers to Watch The Gazette—Its Circulation is Climbing.

British casualties reported in October in all war areas are: Officers 4,331; men, 102,702.

Alexandria City and Suburbs

A cake sale will be held at Brawner's store, corner King and Washington street, tomorrow morning for the benefit of the Children's Home.

Mrs. Charles Greene who has been the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Henry O'Bannon Cooper, at their home on Braddock Heights, has returned to her home in Laurel, Delaware.

At midnight Tuesday the Arlington Brewing Company, with its plant just across the river, at Rosslyn, Alexandria county, was forced out of existence by virtue of the new liquor laws of Virginia going into effect. By that hour all liquors which had not previously been transferred or destroyed were subject to confiscation by the Virginia authorities.

Ada, the 8-year-old daughter of Emanuel Hicks, residing on south Lee street, was seriously burned yesterday while playing with matches. Mrs. Hicks, upon hearing the child scream, ran to her and was painfully burned while extinguishing the little one's burning garments. The child was taken to the Alexandria Hospital for treatment.

The Alexandria Branch of the American Red Cross has collected $148.37 for the Armenian-Syrian Relief fund, and the secretary, Mrs E. A. Gorman will forward the money tomorrow to the National Red Cross Society, in New York, who will use the same for supplies for the Armenian and Syrian sufferers. The churches who have contributed to this fund are: the First Baptist, Second Baptist, Southern Methodist, St. Mary's, Grace Episcopal, St. Paul's Episcopal, German Lutheran, Methodist Protestant, Trinity Methodist, Second Presbyterian, the Del Ray Methodist, Del Ray Baptist and the Jewish Synagogue. Two organizations that contributed were the Council of Jewish Women and the Bakers' Union.

Mr. and Mrs. Jacob Edge and little daughter, of East Downington, Pa., are the guests of Mrs. Edge's mother, Mrs. John Hunton Foster, at her home in Cameron street.

Mrs. Amy C. Weech who spent the past week in Baltimore is now in Salisbury, Maryland, for several days before returning to Baltimore, where she will be the guest of the Rev. Robert Weech until November 10, when she will return to this city en route to Danville, Virginia. From thence she will go to Indianapolis, Indiana, to attend the National Convention of the W. C. T. U. to be held in that city, November 17-23.

Tonight, tomorrow afternoon and night the Alexandria High School operetta Powhatan will be presented in the Opera House under the direction of Mr. William A. Baker. The cast of characters follow: Powhatan, Professor Stanley G. Blanton; Pocahontas, Miss Kathryn Henderson; Laughing Star, Miss Marion Greenaway; Winona, Miss Anna Haslett; Minnehaha, Miss Janie Saunders; Juinata, Miss Louise Schwarzmann; Fire Fly, Miss Ruth Lehew; Light Foot, Miss Louise Abbott; Red Feather, Miss Grace Wells; White Fawn, Miss Gladys Rodgers; Swift One, Miss Lorine Risheill; Captain John Smith, Professor C. E. Bandy; Captain Rolfe, Professor H. C. Nolley; Medicine Man, Mr. William Meeks; Pathfinder, Mr. Lewis Fones; Tim O'Flannigan, Mr. Leslie Devers; Larry O'Gaff, Mr. Fred Schwab. Miss Anna Haslett is the pianist and a chorus of 75 Indian maidens, warriors and soldiers will add to the picturesqueness of the scene. It is hoped that Alexandrians will encourage these young Thespians by a large audience, for it is very depressing to "play to empty houses," and after weeks of untiring effort to present a good performance they should have the support of the townspeople.

Mr. John B. Barrett has returned from Newport, Rhode Island, where he spent the past week.

Professor Forest Cole, Mrs. Cole and Miss Laura Hongland have been the guests for several days this week of Mr. and Mrs. Sherman B. Fowler, in south Washington street, and left today for Rochester, Pa.

Frank Westerlaken, formerly of this city and who has been assistant brewmaster in Jacob Ruppert's brewery in New York city for three years, has accepted the position of general superintendent in the German-American brewery at Buffalo, N. Y.

Mr. James Dean, Miss Annie Dean, Miss Margaret Dean, Miss Mary Davis, Miss Esther Davis, Miss Anna Davis and Master Dean Davis have returned to their home in Rosemont avenue after living in Washington for the past three years.

Rev. J. W. Duffey, will deliver an address in the Young People's Building, this evening, at 8 o'clock, before the Men's Club, of the M. E. Church South. Subject: "Reminiscenses of the Civil War." All men are cordially invited to be present. Admission free.

A representative audience, composed mostly of farmers, assembled at Potter's Hill school house, Fairfax county, last night for the purpose of hearing campaign speeches from democratic orators. The meeting was enthusiastic from the beginning to the end. Edward Allen presided. Walter C. Foster of Alexandria, was the first speaker. He was followed by Messrs C. Keith Carlin and J. Fred Birrell, also of Alexandria, and W. T. Oliver, of Fairfax. A. J. Wedderburn had been listed as one of the speakers, but he failed to appear.

LATE GENERAL BOLLING

Death Comes to Distinguished Figure Among Confederate Veterans at Home in Petersburg.

General Stith Bolling who died at his residence in Petersburg Wednesday night was born in Lunenburg County in 1835. He was the son of John Stith and Mary T. Bolling. He was reared on a farm and received academic education at Lebanon Academy. At the age of twenty he removed to Richmond, where he engaged in the mercantile business until the breaking out of the civil war, when he returned to his county and enlisted in the Lunenburg Cavalry as a private. He was soon promoted to first sergeant, lieutenant, captain, and then lieutenant -colonel. Later he was appointed a brigadier-general by the Governor, and was confirmed by the Senate of Virginia.

General Bolling commanded the largest cavalry troop in General J. E. B. Stuart's command. Late in the war he commanded the Fourth squadron of sharpshooters, composed of Companies G. and H. of the Ninth Cavalry.

General Bolling was frequently detailed during the war as assistant adjutant-general and assistant inspector general of General W. H. F. Lee's staff. He was wounded six times during the war, and was at Appomattox Courthouse at the surrender. He refused to surrender and got through the enemy's lines with his command and tried to join General Johnson, but Johnson surrendered before he reached him. He then surrendered his command to General Wilcox at Hobsons, on the Norfolk and Western Railroad.

After the war General Bolling returned to Lunenburg County and engaged in farming. In 1869 he was elected to the Legislature as a Conservative, and served two terms. He then was appointed State inspector of tobacco in Petersburg, and had resided here until the time of his death.

General Bolling had served twenty four years as postmaster of Petersburg, under six different administrations. He served eight years as president of the Petersburg Tobacco Association and several years as vice-president of the Chamber of Commerce of this city. General Bolling took great interest in all that pertained to the Confederacy and the old soldiers. In 1884 he was elected grand commander of Confederate Veterans of the State of Virginia. In 1901 he was elected brigadier-general of the First Brigade, Virginia Division, United Confederate Veterans, and was re-elected annually thereafter. He was a member and for a number of years commander of A. P. Hill Camp, Confederate Veterans, of this city. General Bolling was a familiar figure at all Confederate reunions.

He is survived by his wife and two daughters, Misses Lizzie and Irby Bolling, all of this city.

LIST OF NEW BOOKS

Recently Added to the Alexandria Library.

The following new books have recently been placed in the library in this city:

Mary Rose of Mifflin, Frances R. Sterrett.
The Goldon Hope, Grace S. Mason.
The World For Sale, Gilbert Parker
Prudence Says So, Ethel Hueston.
Tish, Mary Roberts Rinehart.
The World-Mender, Maxwell Gray.
The Pleasant Ways of St. Medard, Grace King.
The Green Alleys, Eden Phillpotts.
Johnstone of the Border, Harold Bindloss.
The Curious Case of Marie Dupont, Adele Luehrmann.
His Official Fiancee, Berta Ruck.
Georgina, Annie Fellows Johnston
Come Out of the Kitchen, Alice Duer Miller.
David Blaize, E. F. Benson.
The Wonderful Year, William J. Locke.
Adrain Savage, Lucas Malet.
Gold of the Gods, Arthur B. Reeve.
Robinson Crusoe, Daniel Defoe.
Christopher Columbus, Mildred Stapley.
Historic Boyhoods, Rupert S. Holland.

Aerial Trip From Chicago.

New York, Nov. 3.—Victor Carlstrom swooped down from the sky today, landed on Governor's Island, and closed his lightning-like journey from Chicago. He hung up a new American non-stop record yesterday and had made his journey at an average speed of more than 110 miles an hour.

STEAMER RECAPTURED.

Dutch Ship Oldambt, Finally Capsizes at Hook of Holland.

London, Nov. 3.— An admiralty official statement issued last night tells of the recapture from the Germans of the Dutch steamer Oldambt. It says:

"The Dutch steamer Oldambt was captured by the enemy Wednesday, night, near Noord Hinder lightship. A prize crew was put aboard, and the ship was being taken to Zeebrugge, when about daylight some of our light scouting craft overtook her.

"The prize crew attempted to blow up the ship, and they, with the crew, took to the boats. The prize crew, consisting of one officer and nine men, were overtaken and made prisoners, and the ship was taken in tow by one of our vessels.

"Five German destroyers which arrived on the scene, presumably to escort the prize into port, were engaged and put to flight. The Oldambt was then towed for five hours, until within six miles of the Hook of Holland, where she was taken in charge by a Dutch tug."

Amsterdam, Nov. 3.—According to the Handelsblad, the Oldambt reached the Hook of Holland, but capsized, the cargo being lost.

THRILLING VOYAGE.

German Submarine Encounters Rough Weather on Return Trip.

Berlin, Nov. 3.—Capt. Hans Rose, of the German submarine U-53, whose safe return to a German port after its visit to Newport and operations off the American coast, was announced Wednesday, reports that he had an exceedingly stormy return passage.

The seas were so high that the crew of the submarine were at no time able to get air on the deck or to take the air except in little groups on the coning tower.

Even this was impossible during one period off the Newfoundland Banks, and again to the north of England, when the submarine submerged entirely to escape the unbearable buffeting by the tempest.

The officers and crew nevertheless returned in splendid condition, their health having been unaffected by the voyage which, including the brief stay on the American side, lasted exactly 41 1-2 days, of which 17 were consumed by the westward voyage.

NIGHT SCHOOL ASSURED

City School Board Last Night Authorized Parent-Teachers' Association to Wire Room.

The regular monthly meeting of the City School Board was held last night, at which a communication was received from the Parents-Teachers' Association of this city asking the use of rooms in the Lee School building for night school purposes. The teachers will be furnished by the organization and the School Board will bear but a small proportion of the cost of sustaining the school which will be conducted three nights in each week, the sessions lasting two hours. It is proposed to start the school next Monday night.

The association in its communication submitted the names of over sixty young people who signify their desire to take advantage of a night school, they being employed in glass factories, the silk mill, machine shops, etc. It was stated that the proprietors of these enterprises are heartily in favor of the movement, and announce their wish to accelerate the plan in a substantial manner.

After the plans and purposes of the Parents-Teachers Association had been explained, the board ordered that one of the school rooms be wired for the purpose of a night school. One is already furnished with electric lights. Two rooms will be required for the purpose of the association.

Communications asking for increases in salaries were submitted by Miss Angela M. Nevett, acting Principal of Washington school, S. G. Blanton, acting principal of the High School; Miss Nellie Payne, also one of the teachers, and Augustus Robey, janitor of Lee School building.

Miss Nevett was voted an addition of $10 to her salary to be operative during the absence of Captain Conrad Johnson, principal of the High School. No action, however, was taken on the other applications.

Permission had been asked by the Scottish Rite Masons of this city and the Order of Fraternal Americans for placing American flags upon the school buildings. Some discussion arose as to the utility of placing them upon the tops of the structures, as it was difficult often to get at them. It was generally agreed that it would be better to place the flags upon poles in front of the buildings. It was determined to allow representatives of the orders to appear before the board at the next regular meeting.

Some miscellaneous business was transacted during the meeting.

DOUBLE SUICIDE THEORY.

Frederick, Md., Nov. 3.—Although the coroner's jury returned a verdict to the effect that Mrs. Daisy Marshall was shot and killed at her home near Legore, Md., Wednesday afternoon by her nephew, Charles Michael, who in turn committed suicide, Frederick county officers, who assisted at the inquest, declare that the crime was committed by a third party. These officers say that the manner in which the bullets entered the bodies of the victims indicates that the person firing them had stood in the doorway of the house in which the tragedy occurred.

Mrs. Marshall was in sitting position on a couch and her nephew lay face downward on the floor, a few feet away, when found. The revolver was found on the floor about 10 feet from the two bodies.

Late yesterday afternoon a magistrate called upon Judge Glenn H. Worthington relative to the crime. Judge Worthington said that if there was doubt as to the manner in which the persons were killed there should be an investigation.

Officers say four shots were fired, and believe the first entered the chest of the woman, that the second went wild, penetrating the ceiling, and the third entered the mouth of Michael, passing through the palate. The fourth shot entered the skull of Mrs. Marshall just behind the right ear.

The officers also say there were bruises on the face of Michael which could not have been caused by the fall to the floor.

WOMAN WIELDED KNIFE

Negroes, Celebrating Last Saturday of Wet Conditions in Alexandria, Cause Excitement.

Early last Saturday night Mamie Saunders, colored, entered a saloon in the southern section of the city and purchased two bottle of beer. While so engaged, according to her statement, Bettie McFearson, a colored resident of the neighborhood, stepped upon her foot. The Saunders woman objected to the procedure, when the woman guilty of the ungallant act requested her to perform the impossible feat of putting her foot into her pocket. The two women quarreled and finally emerged into the street, where a negro named Ed Smith, generally known as "Alabama," espoused the cause of the assailant, and threatened Mamie Saunders with bodily injury, applying to her at the time an unconventional epithet. Bettie McFearson's war paint became more visible at this juncture, and she attacked the Saunders woman with a knife.

While the "mix-up" was in progress John Bailey, colored, appeared on the scene as a peacemaker, when Bettie McFearson used her knife upon him, splitting his coat sleeve. She also slashed Mamie Saunders, injuring her to such an extent that she was compelled to seek treatment at the Alexandria Hospital.

Bailey alleged that the assailant's ally, "Alabama," gathered bricks and made him a target.

The McFearson woman and "Alabama" brought charges against Mamie Saunders and John Bailey, alleging that they were in reality their assailants. It was alleged that empty beer bottles were used as missiles by the parties during the fracas.

The parties were brought before the Police Court this morning by officer Reed. Bettie McFearson and "Alabama" were fined $20 each. They failed to meet the assessments and will serve the next forty days in jail.

RECTORS DISCUSS RITUAL

What the Episcopal convention at St. Louis did, as described by the Rev. Dr. Randolph McKim, of the Church of the Epiphany, Washington, and what it failed to do, told by the Rev. Dr. C. Ernest Smith, formed the principal subjects of discussion at the regular meeting of the Washington Clericus, at the Hotel Gordon Tuesday afternoon.

Dr. McKim devoted a large part of his report to the action taken by the convention on the revision of the prayer book. He expressed the opinion that the proposed revision which he said took in the entire book, went further than the original clause authorizing the revision provided for. Dr. McKim explains that this clause said that the revision was "to enrich and replenish the book in accordance with modern requirements," and that the proposed revision reformed the book, so that it would be almost necessary for ministers "to start over."

That the convention failed to rescind the clause provided for remarriage of innocent divorced parties, was cited by Dr. C. Ernest Smith. He said he believed that this clause should be rescinded because, although it worked suffering of some, "it is for the good of the others."

He also deplored the neglect of the convention to make Bishop Tuttle, an archbishop, instead of retaining the presiding bishop.

Dr. Smith proposed that an effort be made to bring the tremendous pageant depicting the history of the church which was staged at the convention, to Washington. He said it would be a great benefit if it could be staged there.

BRITISH CAPTURE TRENCH.

London, Nov. 3.—British troops captured a German trench east of Gueedecourt in a resumption of the fighting on the Somme front yesterday, General Haig reported today. The position was secured last night.

Berlin, Nov. 3. — The Germans lost ground in the village of Sailly, on the Somme front yesterday, but repulsed hostile attacks elsewhere in the western theater of war, it was officially announced today.

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SENTIMENT FOR WILSON

As far back as the memory of man runs, the election of a president has been coincident with the election of a house of representatives of the same political faith and purposes. The only apparent exception to this rule was in 1876. In that year Samuel J. Tilden was elected president but his opponent was afterward seated by an electoral commission. Tilden had a clear majority in the electoral college, a popular majority of 250,000, and a Democratic House of Representatives was chosen at the same time. With the exception of Hayes, every president who has been inaugurated in the past half century has had a majority of his own party behind him in the house.

In fact, our whole history makes it quite clear that the people do not believe in electing a president of one political faith and a congress of an opposite political faith. During the past two weeks Frank E. Doremus, chairman of the Democratic National Congressional Committee has attempted to obtain an unbiased opinion of public sentiment in the Congressional Districts which it is necessary for the Democratic Party to carry in order to control the next house. His inquiry has extended into the states of New York, New Jersey, West Virginia, Ohio, Indiana, Illinois, Wisconsin, Kansas, Nebraska, Colorado and several other western states. The reports received are very gratifying, and upon them he feels warranted in predicting the election of a Democratic House by a largely increased majority. These reports show a tremendous sentiment for the re-election of President Wilson.

In 1914 the congressional elections gave the Democrats a majority of thirty-one over the Republicans and a majority over the combined opposition of twenty-one. This result, following closely upon a general revision of the tariff, was very unusual in our political history. But once before—in a great many years at least—has an administration been endorsed at the congressional elections following a revision of tariff.

The constructive legislation of the past three years has placed American prosperity upon a permanent basis. President Wilson has correctly interpreted the sentiment of our people in preserving his country in peace with the world. There is no precedent in American political history for repudiating an administration in times like these. It is the best judgment of the country that Mr. Hughes has failed to make out a case, and that the jury will so find on Tuesday. They will re-elect President Wilson by an overwhelming majority, and a Congress Democratic in both branches.

CHRISTMAS SHIP FOR 1916

America's Christmas Ship to foreign lands which this year will probably be the navy collier Caesar which was anchored off Alexandria a few years ago, is being relined by the Government for carrying food supplies to destitute Syrians and Armenians. It will leave New York December 1, carrying a capacity cargo of foodstuffs and new clothing for Beirut, Syria, from which port relief will be distributed by American Red Cross and Red Crescent agents, aided by United States consuls and missionaries.

The American Committee for Armenian and Syrian Relief, has just sent $208,000 through the State Department to various distribution centers to be distributed immediately by the Committee's agents direct to the most needy survivors of the Armenian deportations and the Syrian famine months. This money will purchase grain, blankets and clothing, giving the sufferers within the Turkish Empire a foretaste of the Christmas cheer which the United States navy boat will bring.

As a necessary preliminary to the sending of the Christmas Ship arrangements are being made for collections in the churches of the entire country Thanksgiving Day, the receipts of which will be used in completing the cargo. The ship will carry 600,000 pounds of rice, 200,000 pounds of lima beans, 400,000 pounds of crushed wheat, 2,100,000 pounds of whole wheat, 500,000 pounds of sugar, 1,000 cases of condensed milk for children, 10,000 barrels of flour, 50,000 gallons of petroleum and 25,000 gallons of cotton seed oil.

Military regulations forbid the carrying of any except new clothing. Hundreds of cases of warm underwear and sweaters and light shoes for men, women and children, stockings for women and children, cotton and woolen socks for men, blankets, and blanket shawls, gray cotton and woolen cloth in the piece, unbleached muslin, and cotton thread, needles, and pins will form a part of the cargo. Contributors to the cargo and churches which are raising money are sending their gifts to W. A. Staub, the Red Cross representative in charge of the Christmas Ship, at the Bush Terminal, Brooklyn, New York.

Navy officials and prominent churchmen of all denominations will join the ceremonies to be held at the Christmas Ship's departure, adding to its cargo the holiday good wishes of one country to the stricken races of another.

GERMANS WANT FACTS

As has been forecasted, the time seems to be at hand when the stay-at-home Germans want to know what is really going on in official circles. The evacuation of Fort Vaux by the Teutons and the attempts of the latter to make it appear that such a step was unimportant, as they have taken a stronger position, is not satisfying the great majority of the nation. This action, it will be remembered, followed closely the announced determination of the Crown Prince to take Verdun or die in the attempt. The following dispatch from Berlin is significant.

"Agitation for changes to make the German government more responsible to the representatives of the people is continuing in the German newspapers and the Reichstag. Writing in the Leipsic Tageblatt, Paul Junck, a member of the Reichstag, demands that parliamentary under-secretaries be named to represent the government departments at all sittings of Germanys' legislative body. He believes these secretaries should be present to answer queries and thus keep the Reichstag in closer touch with the government's policies. This is only one of a number of recent suggestions illustrating the growth of one of the most important movements in the domestic affairs of Germany in recent years."

VIRGINIA NEWS

Paragraphs Picked Up Here and There Throughout the State.

News reached Danville yesterday afternoon of a calamity which last Saturday night overcame the family, of Robert Womack, colored, near Ingram, about a mile over the Halifax line. Nine colored people were asleep in a cabin when fire broke out at midnight. So quickly did the dry two-story wooden building burn that five of the family only barely escaped, the father with two small babies in his arms leaping out of a window and injuring himself severely. Four girls perished in the flames, one jumping from an upstairs window, but not before she had been so badly burned that she died as a result of her injuries.

Caught between the "bumpers" of two freight cars which were being shifted at Hurt's, a small station on the Southern Railway, south of Lynchburg, Wednesday morning, Brakeman Spoon, of High Point, N. C., was instantly killed.

Godfrey Wayne, negro, died Wednesday afternoon in Newport News, as the result of wounds received in a cutting affray, Monday night. Alfred Dudley, colored, was arrested and charged with felonious cutting.

L. H. Shepherd, of Waugh, was accidentally killed Tuesday while at work in the mill at Big Island, of the Big Island Pulp and Paper Company, near Lynchburg.

Patrolmen Krouse and Taylor of Richmond yesterday arrested William C. Rhodes and Frank G. Strang, charged with drinking whisky in a public conveyance, namely a jitney, and with transporting whisky through the streets, which is illegal under the new act. The arrest was made at the instance and upon the complaint of O. H. Nuckols. He said the men were drinking while the jitney was standing still on Broad Street between Harrison and Laurel Streets. The men claimed that they were going hunting and that several other men were joint owners of the two gallons of whisky found in the automobile.

NOTICE OF DISSOLUTION

We, the undersigned, hereby give notice that the partnership heretofore existing between us under the firm name and style of Lowenbach Brothers, is this day dissolved by mutual consent. All persons indebted to the said firm or having claims against the said firm are requested to call at 900 King street, Alexandria, Va., for settlement of the same.

JOSEPH LOWENBACH.
CHAS. R. LOWENBACH.
(Lowenbach Brothers).

257-3t.

Notice

The partnership heretofore existing between Robert P. Whitestone and William L. Rammel under the firm name and style of Whitestone and Rammel, has by mutual consent been dissolved. All persons indebted to the said firm are requested to make settlement of their indebtedness at once, and all persons to whom the firm are indebted are requested to present their accounts for settlement.

ROBERT P. WHITESTONE
WILLIAM L. RAMMEL.

258-6t.

Notice.

Robert P. Whitestone has engaged in the produce and commission business, and Whitestone and Clark, under the firm name of Alexandria Wholesale and Commission Merchants, are conducting their business at the corner of King and Lee Streets in the City of Alexandria. Thanking my friends for their patronage in the past, I solicit a continuance of the same, which I shall endeavor to deserve by careful attention to business and consideration for all my customers.

ROBERT P. WHITESTONE.

258-6t.

VIRGINIA:
In the Circuit Court of Alexandria County.

Office of Harry R. Thomas, Commissioner in Chancery of said Court, October 3rd, 1916.

To W. T. Galliher and Brother, Incorporated, a corporation duly incorporated under the laws of the District of Columbia, Alan P. Hume, George E. Warfield, Trustee, Edward F. Barker, Samuel V. Gusack, Trustee, Joseph S. Harper, Trustee, and Joseph S. Harper, in his own right, Richard B. Garvey, Agnes E. Garvey, Walter R. Hedrick, Charles C. Hitt, Norman W. Gill, Mary E. Gill, William W. Harrington, Emma L. Harrington, Florence A. Bradley, Vincent A. Bradley, James A. Duncan, George P. Killian, Trustee, Maggie C. Calvert, George P. Calvert, Edward E. Dwyer, Security Savings and Commercial Bank, of Washington, D. C., and Louis Fletcher King.

You are hereby notified that I have fixed upon Tuesday November 14th, 1916, at 10 o'clock A. M. at my office near the County Court House, at Fort Myer Heights, Virginia, as the time and place, when and where, I shall proceed to execute the decree rendered by the Circuit Court of the County of Alexandria, Virginia, on the 26th day of September, 1916, in the Chancery cause of W. T. Galliher and Brother, Incorporated vs. Alan P. Hume et al; whereby I am required to ascertain and report:

First—The taxes, all mechanics liens and other liens, and the respective amounts thereof, upon the respective properties set forth and described in the bill of complaint, and the priorities existing between the same. In doing so, the said commissioner shall report separately the liens and the respective amounts thereof against each of the respective properties described in the Bill, and the names of the holders of the same.

Second—The respective dates upon which each of said buildings in the bill and proceedings mentioned, was completed, or the work thereon otherwise terminated.

Third—Whether or not the rents and profits from the said properties or any of them, will pay off and discharge the respective liens within five (5) years.

Fourth—How much of the land with each of the said respective properties mentioned and described in the bill is necessary for the convenient use and enjoyment of the said respective buildings.

Fifth—What amount will constitute a reasonable compensation to be allowed by the Court to complainant's counsel for instituting and conducting this suit.

Sixth—To state and settle any accounts that may be necessary between the parties to this suit.

Seventh—The said Commissioner in making his report shall consider, not only the evidence already taken, including that embraced in the stipulations of counsel, but she'll take and consider any further evidence which may be adduced by any party in interest.

Eighth—Any other matter or thing pertinent to the issues in this cause, or which may be required by any party hereto.

This notice is published in pursuance of the decree of the said Court in said cause entered on the 26th day of September, 1916, which provides that the publication of this notice once a week for four successive weeks in the Alexandria Gazette, shall be equivalent to personal service of such notice upon all parties claiming to have liens upon the property in the bill and proceedings mentioned, or having an interest therein.

At which time and place you are required to attend. Given under my hand as Commissioner in Chancery of said Court on the day and year first aforesaid.

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TRUSTEE'S SALE.

By virtue of the authority vested in the undersigned trustee, by deed of trust from Hattie L. Peyton and George V. Peyton, her husband, to David N. Hulfish, the undersigned trustee, bearing date July 1, 1912, admitted to record July 2, 1912, and duly recorded in the Clerk's Office of Alexandria City, Virginia, in Liber No. 62, at folio 148, of the Land Records of the said City, default having been made in the payment of the debt secured by the said deed of trust, the said undersigned trustee will sell at public auction on TUESDAY, NOVEMBER 21, 1916, at 12:00 o'clock, Noon, in front of the premises, the following property in the city of Alexandria, Virginia, described as follows:—

A lot of ground, with improvements thereon and appurtenances thereunto belonging beginning at the southwest intersection of Columbus Street 108.2 feet, more or less, to M. B. Harlow's line: thence southwardly, parallel to Columbus Street 80.6 feet, more or less, to Charles S. Fisher's line; thence eastwardly, with said Fisher's line and parallel to Cameron Street 108.2 feet more or less, to Columbus Street and thence northwardly with Columbus Street 80.6 feet, more or less, to the point of beginning, with all improvements thereon, rights, privileges, easements and appurtenances to the same belonging, and it being the same property coveyed to the said Hattie L. Peyton by Virginia R. Simpson by deed bearing date April 9, 1908, admitted to record April 19, 1908, and duly recorded in Liber No. 57, at folio 76, of the Land Records of Alexandria City, Virginia.

The said property, however, will be sold subject to the lien of deed of trust from the said Hattie L. Peyton and George V. Peyton, her husband, to George R. Simpson and Richard M. Green, to secure to Virginia R. Simpson the payment of the sum of Four Thousand ($4,000) Dollars and interest from April 9th 1916, thereon at the rate of 5 per cent per annum, the said deed of trust last mentioned, bearing date April 9, 1908, admitted to record April 19, 1908, and being duly recorded in Liber No. 57, at folio 77, of the Land Records of Alexandria City, Virginia.

Terms of Sale, CASH.

Deposit of $100 will be required at the time of sale.

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Notice.

Notice is hereby given that the annual meeting of stockholders of the Washington Safe Deposit Company, Inc., will be held at the office of the company, 111 S. Fairfax Street, Alexandria, Virginia, on Tuesday, November 7th 1916, at 12 o'clock, noon, for the purpose of electing a Board of Directors for the ensuing year and for the transaction of such other business as may properly come before said meeting.

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Socialist Leader in German Reichstag Makes Significant Speech.

London, Nov. 3.—German newspapers just received here contain the full text of a remarkable speech delivered in the Reichstag by Herr Bernstein, a Socialist leader, who, after indicting vehemently German methods in conducting war and finance, appealed to the government to proclaim an immediate armistic preparatory to a definite peace.

"The time has come when we must ask ourselves how much longer this war is going to last," said Herr Bernstein. "We are witnessing a dangerous growth of the state indebtedness and the question arises where all this money is coming from.

"The secretary of state has remarked that no particular pressure was required to make the last loan a success. I can say only that we know many cases where strong pressure was brought to bear with that object.

"Who are the chief subscribers to the loans? A good number are banks and other public institutions, then come the prosperous land owners, the successful traders and manufacturers, all of whom have been enriched by large war profits, at the expense of the great mass of the population.

"Our attempts to come to an agreement with individual enemies at the cost of others are doomed to failure, as is shown by the fate of our efforts to conclude a separate peace with the Russians, whom our people have been urged to fight for two years, don't exactly redound to our honor. In addition, they're hopeless.

"What is the fundamental vice of the German policy? What is it which turns even our sincere friends in times of peace into our adversaries? It is the extreme mistrust with which not only the governments, but the people of other countries regard us.

"One of the principal results of the progress of our civilization, was the confining of war to combatants only. Now we have petitions to the Reichstag urging war upon non combatants with the most brutal weapons. The bombing of open cities is advocated in order to bring the enemy nation concerned to its knees, but this betrays a complete misconception of popular psychology which was better understood by Sophocles, who said that an enemy must be fought in such a way that he will once more become a friend.

"The number killed in this war is estimated already as 4,500,000. The number of permanently crippled is estimated at 3,300,000. The number of wounded is estimated at 11,000,000. How long is this massacre to last?

"To put an end to it, it is necessary to make an unequivocal statement. I will tell you what kind is needed. Let it be proclaimed authoritatively on the German side that we are prepared to conclude an armistic as preliminary to a general European congress which would restore peace on the basis of the democratic rights of all nations."

Alexandria City Duckpin League.

Standing of the Clubs.

	Games.	Won.	Lost.	Pct.
Cardinals	21	18	3	.857
Snorters	21	16	5	.762
Richmonds	21	15	6	.714
Old Dominions	21	15	6	.714
Indians	21	8	13	.380
Sou-Ry	21	9	12	.429
Commerce	18	7	11	.389
Y. M. S. L.	21	6	15	.286
Dreadnaughts	18	4	14	.222
Virginians	21	4	17	.190

Last Night's Results.

Virginians			
Ramey	90	84	83
C. Walker	92	91	81
E. Clark	75	107	92
E. Walker	89	108	104
W. L. Clark	88	94	85
Totals	429	479	445
Southern Railway.			
Carter	92	73	91
Ennis	107	81	110
Fowler	114	96	86
Dummy	80	80	80
Monday	82	82	91
Totals	476	412	458

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WILSON CLOSES CAMPAIGN

President Greeted by Cheering Crowds Wherever He Appeared

New York, Nov. 3—With two great rallies here last night, President Wilson closed his campaign for re-election, except for a speech he will deliver to New Jersey friends and neighbors at Shadow Lawn on Saturday afternoon. From the time he arrived in the city yesterday morning he was greeted by cheering crowds wherever he appeared.

In four speeches here, three last night and one at a business men's luncheon in the afternoon, he reiterated his conception of the great issues which confront the United States. He appealed for principles of progress which would help the "obscure" men and women of the land, arraigned the "Wall Street" interests, which, he said, seek to dominate, and pleaded for equal rights for all men.

The President's coming, gave the Democrats their first opportunity of the campaign in this city for old-fashioned political enthusiasm on a big scale. Torchlights and red fire blazed in Fifth Avenue as the hosts of Tammany Hall, headed by Charles F. Murphy, advanced upon Madison Square Garden, which was besieged by a tremendous crowd before their arrival. Two hours and a half before Mr. Wilson was due to arrive at the historic garden police reserves were striving vainly to hold back a surging throng striving for places of vantage which would make entrance easy after the doors were thrown open. Holders of reserve seat tickets strove vainly to reach the entrances.

The seating capacity of the garden has been increased to 15,000 but it seemed after the doors were closed and the last inch of room occupied that the size of the throng outside had not been diminished. In the rush about the doors many women fainted.

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Parral, Chihuahua state, has been taken by Villa troops, according to a message received by Americans from Chihuahua city. The report, also received by United States government agents and forwarded to Washington, said the Villa forces took possession of the city yesterday.

Four robbers blew open the safe in the private bank of W. H. Odell and Co, at Braidwood, Ill., Wednesday night and escaped in an automobile with $6,000. The men cut all wires leading into the little village and had made good their escape before aid could be summoned.

NEWS OF THE DAY

For every dollar paid to the Southern Railway by the people of the South during September, 1916, the Southern paid out in the South $1.08 according to figures announced yesterday by Comptroller A. H. Plan

Striking east from Gorizia and pulverizing the powerful Austrian defense works on the Carso with a shower of shells, the Italian army of Gen. Cadorna has resumed its advance against Trieste.

Five steamers have been sunk by German submarines.

Miss Anna Murray, 18 and Gilbert Montague, were killed, while Miss Irene O'Boyle, 20, has a fractured skull and may die as the result of an automobile accident at Cleveland, Ohio. The machine was rounding a curve near a bridge at a high rate of speed and crashed into an iron railing.

Mose Lester, of Yonkers, N. Y. who married the three Hunter girls, is dead at 75. He married Sophie in 1865. She died, and he married Margaret. She died, and he married Harriet.

Occupation of some Bulgarian trenches on the right bank of the Cerna River at the west end of the Macedonian front is announced at Serbian army headquarters. The news that the French have been for several days in possession of Gardilovo, twelve miles southeast of Monastir, also is contained in the report. German and Bulgarian reports say Serbian attacks in the bend of the Cerna River were repulsed.

Discovery by members of his congregation that "Rev." George Harvey, long pastor of Faith Congregational Church, who has performed numberless marriage ceremonies in Chicago, has never been ordained as minister has caused consternation. Many Chicago couples united by the pastor today are making efforts to learn if they are legally married, and at least two couples have signified their intention of having another ceremony performed.

Waldo E. Gilbert, a well-known lawyer, was shot twice yesterday while in his office at Syracuse, N. Y., by a man believed to be an irate client, who afterward escaped. Gilbert is expected to recover.

Bread sold in Helena, Mont., yesterday at 15 cents a loaf, or two for 25 cents. The price had been 10 cents, or three for 25 cents.

After months of strife between the adherents of former Premier Venizelos and the staunch adherents of King Constantine over the question of Greece's stand in the war, a revolution of considerable proportions has broken out in the region southwest of Saloniki. It is reported that 600 insurgents, probably followers of Venizelos, forced 150 royalist troops to exacuate Katerina, near the Gulf of Saloniki, and retreat upon Larissa, 40 miles southwest, in Thessaly, where they are expected to receive reinforcement. The troops have received orders from the king to prevent at all costs the advance of the revolutionists.

John F. and Horace Dodge, automobile manufacturers and stockholders in the Ford Motor Company of Detroit, Mich., obtained a temporary injunction yesterday restraining Henry Ford from using the assets of the Ford Motor Company to extend the business instead of distributing profits in dividents. In their application to the court the Dodge brothers alleged that increased labor costs and unstable business conditions coming at the end of the war make "reckless expenditures of the company's assets unwise." The Ford Motor Company's annual statement, issued recently, showed profits of several million dollars, which, it was announced, were to be put back into the business.

Gen. Foch's troops continued their successes yesterday on the Les Boeufs-sailly Saillisel sector of Somme front. Sharp attack placed them in possession of additional Teuton positions and enabled them to bring in another 200 prisoners, increasing the number of Germans taken during the last twenty-four hours to more than 700. The Germans admit successes of the French on the Les Boeufs sector. Their claim that they penetrated into the northern part of Sailly is denied by the French war office.

In give-and-take fighting on the Galician front, where winter may at any time impose its drag on military operations, the central allies Wednesday won a considerable victory. Gen. von Linsingen's troops under the immediate command of Maj. Gen. von Ditfurth, stormed Russian positions in front of and south of Witoniez, on the west bank of the Stokhod River, and after a bitter battle won them, capturing in the undertaking more than 1,500 prisoners.

W. O. Bowden shot and killed his wife and in turn was shot to death by his father-in-law, S. L. Cox, according to reports reaching Columbus, Ga., from the Cox residence, 10 miles east of Columbus. The shooting, which took place late yesterday was said to have been the result of domestic trouble. Mr. and Mrs. Bowden, members of prominent families in that section, had been separated recently, it was said. Cox had not been arrested early last night.

"It is believed in London, that Germany is preparing for a supreme effort in submarine warfare to interrupt practically the whole seaborne commerce of the world," telegraphs an Amsterdam correspondent.

VIRGINIA NEWS

The body of Benjamin W. Mundy, a well-known citizen of Barboursville, was found late Wednesday afternoon in a sitting position in the rear of the Union Church, in that place. In his right hand he held a revolver and in the back of his head was a bullet hole, making a wound which had caused death instantaneously. Mr. Mundy was fifty-five years old. He had been in bad health for some years.

With gas flowing from a jet in his room at 620 west Saratoga street, Baltimore, Clarence Douglas, 46 years old, was found dead in bed yesterday afternoon. Mrs. Mattie Thompson, who lives in the house, notified Captain Cole, of the Western district, that she believed something was wrong, and Patrolman Hughes was sent to investigate. The door was forced and Douglas was found on the bed partly dressed. Mrs. Thompson said Douglas came from Virginia and believed he had forgotten to turn the gas all the way off. Corner Driscoll will make an investigation.

October was the biggest month for clearings in the history of Richmond banks. The clearings, according to a statement issued yesterday by the Richmond Clearing House Association, made a total of $98,836,058, as against $52,541,102 for the corresponding month of last year. This gives an increase of $46,294,956, or 88 per cent. This amount does not include the clearings of the Richmond Country Clearing Association, of $16,782,000. bringing the total increase for all clearing up to $63,076,956. The clearings for Sept. 1916, amounted to $76,441,391, which was $22,394,667 less than last month.

The Du Pont Company has posted a circular letter at its plant at Hopewell, denying the recently published statement that the Du Pont Company had issued an order to its employees forbidding them to wear Wilson buttons, and declaring that no such order had been given to any of its men in any of its plants. The letter states that "Every individual in the employ of the company is free to vote as he pleases and to work for whatever candidate, national, State or local, he pleases. His standing as an employee will be affected in no way by his political leanings."

According to data obtained for the United States Treasury Department, efficient business methods inaugurated in the Internal Revenue Service and a fair but strict enforcement of laws during the present administration resulted in uncovering gigantic frauds and evaded taxes to the unprecedented amount of more than $50,000,000, of which $22,569,576.47 was assessed and collected during the three fiscal years ending on June 30, 1916. This total recovered amount was greater by $2,700,000 than the entire cost of collecting the total revenue receipts of $1,308,413,205.59. This information was furnished by the Treasury Department to Collector of Internal Revenue R. C. L. Moncure, and was given out by the latter in Richmond yesterday.

Showing an increase of nearly $300,000 over last year, Virginia's treasury was yesterday enriched by $1,784,951.71 in taxes received from the steam, electric and other common carriers in the State. The taxes were paid on the recent assessments of the State Corporation Commission, which were increased in many instances and which, together with the increase in the franchise tax from 1 1-8 per cent to 1 1-4 per cent., brought the extra revenue to the State.

Officers of the Old Bay Line steamer Virginia yesterday, announced that a passenger registered as Michael J. McNally, who boarded the steamer at Baltimore, disappeared during the trip down the Chesapeake Bay Wednesday night. He was en route to Norfolk and is believed from papers found in his baggage to be a retired sergeant major of the United States marine corps, who left the service June 9, 1916. Letters in a handbag, showed that he had resided at Crawford Chambers, 5 Hanover street, Boston, Mass., and a tag on a suitcase bore the address 35 Anne street San Francisco, Cal. It is believed the man committed suicide by jumping into the bay while unobserved.

A huge submarine, believed to be a German of the U-53 type, is now lying off the Virginia capes, according to Capt. H. Hirsch, of the Norwegian freighter Osterdal, which arrived yesterday at Baltimore, from Cardiff, Wales. Capt. Hirsch says he sighted the submarine on Tuesday night about 400 miles east Cape Henry. The submarine came to the surface only 600 feet away from the Osterdal but did not signal her and left a short time after.

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AUCTION SALES

SAMUEL H. LUNT, Auctioneer
AUCTION SALE OF VALUABLE PROPERTY ON NORTH PITT STREET.

Pursuant to the terms of a deed of trust bearing date on June 18, 1913, and recorded in Deed Book No. 62, page 604, of the land records of the City of Alexandria, Virginia, given by Robert L. Myers and wife and J. Frank Myers and wife to the undersigned Trustee, to secure the payment of the indebtedness therein set forth, default having been made in the payment of said indebtedness, the undersigned Trustee, at the request of the holder of the notes secured by said deed of trust, will offer for sale at public auction, on the premises, at 12 o'clock noon, on Tuesday, November 14, 1916, all those lots of ground, with the buildings and improvements thereon, in the City of Alexandria, Virginia, on the east side of Pitt Street, between Cameron and King Streets, and bounded as follows, to-wit:—

First—Beginning on the east side of Pitt Street 110 feet 6 1-2 inches south of Cameron Street, and on the south side of an alley, and running thence south on Pitt Street 44 feet; thence east parallel to Cameron Street 114 feet 5 inches to an alley 9 feet wide; thence north with the last named alley 44 feet to the first named alley; and thence west along the line of the first named alley 114 feet 5 inches to the beginning, with all rights and appurtenances to the same belonging.

Second—Beginning on the east side of Pitt Street at the northwest corner of lot No. 115 as distinguished on the plan of the said City of Alexandria, said corner being 176 feet 7 inches north of King Street, and at the middle of the square between King and Cameron Streets, and running thence north on Pitt Street 22 feet, more or less, to the south line of the above described property; thence east parallel to King Street 123 feet 5 inches; thence south parallel to Pitt Street 22 feet, more or less, the length of the first line; and thence west in a direct line 123 feet 5 inches to the beginning, with the right of way over an alley adjoining the said property on the east.

Terms of sale: CASH. Conveyancing at the cost of the purchaser or purchasers.
252-15t. Gardner L. Boothe, trustee.

SAMUEL H. LUNT, Auctioneer
AUCTION SALE OF DESIRABLE DWELLING ON NORTH PITT STREET.

Pursuant to the terms of a deed of trust bearing date on October 14, 1915, and duly recorded among the land records of the City of Alexandria, Virginia, in Deed Book No. 64, page 592, given by Robert L. Myers and wife to the undersigned Trustee, to secure the payment of an indebtedness therein set forth, default having been made in the payment of said indebtedness, the undersigned Trustee, at the request of the legal holders of the note secured by the said deed of trust, will offer for sale at public auction, on the premises, at 12 o'clock noon, on Tuesday, November 14, 1916, all that lot of ground, with the improvements thereon, in the city of Alexandria, Virginia, bounded and described as follows, to-wit:—

Beginning at a point on the east side of Pitt Street 110 feet north of King Street, and at the north line of an alley 10 feet wide, and running thence north on Pitt Street 20 feet 7 inches; thence east parallel with King street 73 feet 6 inches; thence south parallel with Pitt Street 20 feet 7 inches to said alley; and thence west along said 10 feet alley 73 feet 6 inches to the beginning, with the right of way over said alley in common with others entitled thereto.

The above described property is to be sold subject to the lien of a deed of trust given to ecure the payment of sixteen hundred dollars, with interest at six per cent, which is duly recorded among the land records of the City of Alexandria, Virginia in Deed Book No. 64, page 368.

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Trains leave Union Station, Alexandria.

7:37 A. M., Daily—Local between Washington and Danville, delivers connection daily except Sunday at Orange to C and O., No. 403 for Gordonsville and Richmond.

8:47 A. M. Daily—Local for Harrisonburg and way stations. Buffet parlor car.

9:17 A. M. Daily—Mail train, coaches for Manassas, Warrenton, Orange, Lynchburg, Greensboro and Charlotte.

10:22 A. M. Daily—U. S. Fast Mail stops only for passengers to points at which scheduled to stop. Coaches and Sleeping cars to Atlanta, New Orleans, Birmingham. Sleeping car Salisburg to Ashville. Coaches for Charlottesville, Lynchburg, Danville, Greensboro, and Charlotte.

4:22 P. M. Daily—Local for Charlottesville connecting at Calverton for Warrenton.

4:52 P. M. Daily—Birmingham Special. Sleeping cars between New York, Atlanta, Anniston, Birmingham, and Augusta. Through first class coaches between Washington, Atlanta and Birmingham. Dining car service. Tourist to California daily.

4.02 p. m.—Daily local for Harrisonburg and way Stations on Manassas branch. Pullman Buffet parlor cars.

5:22 P. M. Local for Warrenton.

7:17 P. M. Daily—Augusta Special. Through train with sleeping cars to Charlotte, Columbia, Aiken and Augusta. Through Sleeping cars to Ashville.

10:02 P. M. Daily—Washington and Chattanooga Limited (via Lynchburg) First class coaches and sleeping cars to Roanoke, Knoxville, Chattanooga, Sleeper to New Orleans, Washington to Roanoke, Dining car service.

11:02 P. M. Daily—New York and New Orleans Limited. All Pullman train. Club and Observation cars to New Orleans. Dining car service.

4:27 A. M. Daily—Memphis special, Sleeping cars and coaches for Roanoke, Knoxville, Nashville, Chattanooga, and Memphis. Dining car service. Washington sleeping cars open 10 p. m.

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For Washington and points north daily 8:08, 8:23, 8:33 a.m 12:01, 12:16 12:23, 2:30, (through train for New York, via P. R. R.) 6:16, 8:53, 11:33 p. m.

For Fredericksburg, Richmond and points south at 4:37, 7:53, (local) and 9:47, a. m. 12:16, 3:22, 3:32, 5:17 (local) 6:57, 9:47, p. m. daily.

Accomodation for Fredericksburg at 2:23, p. m. Saturdays and 11.18 a. m. other days of week.

Local from Richmond arrives 6:07 p. m. week days and 8:07 p. m. Sundays.

NOTE—Times of arrival and departure and connections not guaranteed.

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P. M.—12 20, 12 40, 1 00, 1 20, 1 40, 2 00, 2 20, 2 40, 3 00, 3 20, 3 40; 4 00; 4 20, 4 40, 5 00, 5 20, 5 40, 6 00; 6 40; 7 00, 7 20, 7 35, 8 00; 8 20; 9 00; 9 30; 10 00, 10 30, 11 10, 11 55.
Sundays and Holidays, same as above except trains at 5 00, 5 40, 6 20, 6 40, 7 10; 7 30; 7 50 and 8 10 A. M. and 11 55 P. M.
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Small lean hams, per lb..... 22c
Picnic hams per lb..... 16 1-2c
Fancy creamery butter, per lb..... 40c
Lemon cling regina peaches per can..... 15c
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Campbell's baked beans per can..... 10c
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